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An Aristocrat in the lovely Kaempferi Iris

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A MESSAGE OF THANKS

Many thanks to my customers who have purchased stock from me last year. Owing to the extreme shortage of labor, supplies and poor transportation, there were some delays in my orders. I deeply appreciate and thank each individual who was so considerate and co-operative with me.

OUR NEW LOCATION

Last year I purchased sufficient land in Clifton where we will grow our entire nursery stock. Our section called Richfield, where I have lived and been in business over 30 years, is ideally located, only 15 miles from New York City, has the most fertile soil in the entire state, which will enable me to produce superior stock to that produced up at Beemersville, and has excellent transportation facilities and favorable labor conditions which will assist me in operating my business more efficiently and satisfactorily to our customers' advantage.

Our nursery at Beemersville, N. J., which was established by Mr. Wayman, had so many disadvantages, such as poor shipping facilities, late springs and early falls due to the altitude, 65 miles from New York City, located in isolated dairy country where labor was impossible to be had, to name a few of the many reasons for the change.

SPECIALIZING IN CLIFTON

Since the purchase of Mr. Wayman's business, I have come to the conclusion of specializing in Iris, Hemerocallis, Peppies and Phlox. I shall also concentrate in hybridizing, making every effort to develop and present to our customers newer and improved varieties of the very best quality to add to your collection that will enable me to carry a slogan:

"FOR THOSE WHO PREFER THE BEST"

In closing, I again wish to thank my customers and may we have the continued pleasure of serving you.

E. A. WITTMAN
Clifton, New Jersey

FRIENDLY ADVICE

and Directions for planting and caring for Bearded Iris for the connoisseur and garden enthusiast.

TIME OF PLANTING OF BEARDED IRIS. Bearded Iris can be planted any time after July 10th up until the middle of October; however, you can plant up until frost, providing you mulch them with some straw to prevent them from winter-killing.

LOCATION FOR BEARDED IRIS. Bearded Iris will do well in any part of our country except through the extreme South; however, they can stand 35 degrees below zero without suffering any damage.

TYPE OF SOIL FOR BEARDED IRIS. One of the most important things to consider is the type of soil in order to grow Bearded Iris successfully. They require **sweet (alkaline) well drained soil** free from roots or any rotted material. **Never use rich soil nor manure.** An application of lime before planting is very important; if your soil does not drain well, **raise your beds 6 to 12 inches above** the balance of your ground which will do wonders for Iris plantings. Bone meal is an excellent fertilizer, wood ashes may also be used freely.

PLANTING BEARDED IRIS. Bear in mind when planting Bearded Iris to see that they are planted in a sunny spot. Rhizomes **must be planted to the surface**; however, they must be planted firmly, soil packed tightly around roots. Plants properly planted will produce many more blooms, also it will help to avoid root rot and diseases. Keep soil cultivated.

AFTER FLOWERING OF BEARDED IRIS. Many people write us that their Iris have been changing colors. In order to eliminate this disappointment, cut your old flower stalks down to the foliage, this will eliminate dropping of seeds, will also strengthen your plants.

PESTS AND DISEASES. Snails and slugs are the most common pests found on Bearded Iris. They can easily be taken care of by keeping the dead leaves and trash from around the Iris plants. If still troubled, purchase some good snail poison now on the market which will remedy these pests.

WHITE FLY. Very few sections of this country are troubled with white fly; however, you can remedy these flies with a good nicotine spray.

LEAF SPOT. A fungous disease which sometimes develops on Iris leaves and causes the ends to turn brown. These spores multiply and spread rapidly during damp weather. To check this fungus, spray with a lime-sulphur spray to which add a little soap as a spreader.

RHIZOME ROT. This is caused by lack of drainage or too much rain followed by real warm weather, very seldom turns out to be dangerous. Rotted parts generally are infested with white maggots.

CURE FOR RHIZOME ROT. Scrape away soil, cut away rotted parts, then dust with sulphur or charcoal, expose cleaned rhizomes to direct sun leaving roots lay for several days so that the roots are thoroughly dry. Replant rhizomes so that the tops are exposed to the sun at all times.

IRIS BORER. Develops from a moth which lays its eggs in the fall near or on the basal leaves, eggs hatching out in spring. The young larvae eat their way through the foliage down towards the rhizomes. Early stages can be noticed by bleeding of plants, later leaves become stunted. In July or August the larvae will reach maturity, being about an inch and a half long, whitish with a pronounced pinkish tinge above the spiracles. Pupation takes place in the soil near base of plant late summer. The Pupa is shining chestnut-brown in color.

IRIS BORER CONTROL. Important to keep your garden free of any rotted foliage or roots. In small gardens many plants can be saved by the method of handpicking. A solution of Potassium Permanganate (which can be obtained at any drug store) using as much as can be held on top of a dime in a gallon of water. Cut foliage of Iris, then dip plant in above solution for twenty minutes. If badly infected dip again in 48 hours, let rhizomes dry thoroughly before replanting. You may also dilute one level teaspoonful in two gallons of water, pouring contents over plants and around roots which will help to eliminate further borer conditions.

Cash with Order, No C.O.D.'s. All Nursery Stock Shipped from Clifton, New Jersey

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SUPERIOR TALL BEARDED IRIS

Bearded Iris in recent years have taken such strides in color creations beyond the wildest imagination. Today's aristocrats are actually beyond the colors of the rarest of jewels, they definitely will assemble themselves like Orchids in your garden.

Read Before Ordering

All Iris Will Be Shipped After July 1st.

All shipments of orders of \$3.00 or over will be sent prepaid. Either print, type or write very clearly to avoid delays.

Cash, Check or Money Order must accompany all orders. No C.O.D. Order early; orders shipped in rotation. All stock will be selected of healthy, strong plants guaranteed true to name.

Planting and cultural directions accompany all shipments.

Always unpack immediately; if roots are dry, place them in water for a few hours to freshen up, then plant and soak thoroughly. If a dry spell prevails, water plants frequently so the plant won't suffer from lack of moisture.

Bearded Iris Varieties

	Each
Ace of Spades. 36 in. Superb new ruffled black	\$2.50
Aida. 36 in. Pure rich copper-bronze. Very large flower	1.00
Akbar. 40 in. Pansy-violet. Challenge Cup and Silver Medal winner .....	.50
Alaster. 38 in. New, cyclamen-pink. Silver Medal	2.50
Albene. Very pretty white Plicata	1.00



Midgard



Fiesta

Wittman's Orchids in Iris

	Each
Alcina. 36 in. Unusual cream and blue pastel blend	\$0.35
Alice Harding. 40 in. Large satiny yellow. Dykes Medal Winner .....	.50
Aline. 32 in. Gorgeous rich sky-blue .....	.60
Allumeuse (Aflame). 45 in. New brilliant red tone	1.25
Alluwe. 40 in. Standards bronze; red-toned falls, bordered bronze .....	.40
Alta California. 48 in. Tallest and one of the best yellows ....	.50
Ambassadeur. 42 in. Rich blend .....	.35
Ambrosia. Very beautiful pure white	1.00
Amethyst Dome. 36 in. Standards, pure amethyst; falls, Dahlia-carmine. Huge flowers	2.50
Amigo. Very pretty blue bicolor .....	.75
Amitola. 30 in. Lovely soft tourmaline-pink blend .....	.65
Amrita. 36 in. A delightful new blue bicolor .....	.40
Anitra. 36 in. Exquisite soft blue. Fragrance as delightful as the most costly perfume	1.00
Anna Gage. Beautiful new tawny olive with garnet-brown ...	4.00
Anne Marie Cayeux. 36 in. Iridescent colors of a pigeon's throat	1.00
Aphrodite. 44 in. Sensational pink tone .....	.50
Arabian Prince. Lovely red, slightly scented	1.00
Ariane. Very dark plicata	1.50
Arctic. Large fine white ruffled with broad falls and closed standards. One of the finest snow-whites	2.00
Artistic. 42 in. New, huge soft cream	1.00
At Dawning. 36 in. A rare pink, white and rose blend of great charm like the tones in a summer sky at dawning .....	.65
Attye Eugenie. Light yellow self. Fragrant .....	.65
Aubanel. 42 in. Large striking flowers of shrimp-pink	1.25
Aztec. 39 in. Large copper-red bicolor. Extra fine	1.00

	Each
Aztec Copper. A copper-violet blend of rare beauty. Nothing just like it. One of the best copper-bronzes yet produced ..	\$2.00
Aztec Glory. Glowing copper blend with a burnished finish of the reds and coppers	7.50
Azure Ace. 50 in. Superb azure-blue	1.50
Ballet Girl. 36 in. Ruffled and frilled soft pastel pink ....	.65
Balmung. 36 in. New and unique. Yellow edged brown ..	2.50
Banneret. 48 in. Medal Winner. Standards, lavender; falls, Dahlia-carmine	1.00
Beau Brummel. 32 in. New. Huge dark rich blue-purple ..	1.50
Beau Sabreur. Another excellent Variegata .....	.75
Beige Princess. 42 in. New. Lovely soft rose-beige	1.50
Belmont. 34 in. A new frilled clear rich deep blue	1.50
Beotie. 48 in. Elephant-grey, flushed taupe. A new color ..	.40
Becwulf. 32 in. Early, true rich maroon. First Iris of this color ..	.65
Berkeley Bronze. 40 in. Standards, bronze; falls, rich velvety mahogany .....	.50
Berkeley Dawn. 50 in. Lovely soft Ageratum-violet, huge flowers .....	.40
Berkeley Copper. 36 in. Standards, copper; falls, old rose with copper border .....	.50
Berkeley Elegance. Medium blue self	1.00
Berkeley Evening. Very pretty light yellow	1.00
Berkeley Fire. 36 in. Brilliant fiery red. One of the best reds ..	1.00
Berkeley Queen. 42 in. An exquisite soft pastel blend. Standards, color of ripe apricot; falls, soft lilac .....	.50
Berlio. Unusual smoke color. Very pretty	2.50
Bermuda Moon. 48 in. Early. Silver Medal Winner. Superb cream	1.50
Betelgeuse. Colorful red and brown combination	1.50
Birling Blue. Medium blue self. Very sweet fragrance	2.50
Black Warrior. 36 in. Huge flowers of rich, deep, dark blackish violet .....	.50
Black Watch. 30 in. Early. Almost pure black. Like velvet .....	.75
Black Wings. 40 in. Unsurpassed lustrous near black .....	.50
Blended Beauty. 40 in. New, different, distinctive. Standards, golden bronze; falls, red veined, bordered golden brown ....	.85
Blenheim. 36 in. Silver Medal Winner. Rich Pansy-violet	1.50
Blue Danube. 36 in. Best brilliant pure deep rich blue	1.00
Blue Dream. 33 in. Huge. New, very lovely, soft Lobelia-violet self	1.50
Blue Gem. Fragrant. Medium blue .....	.60
Blue Monarch. Beautiful medium blue ....	.50
Blue Peter. 42 in. Huge flowers, intense velvety midnight blue .....	.75
Blue Skyscraper. Medium blue self	1.25
Blue Spire. 50 in. Magnificent huge flowers of Ageratum-blue	1.00
Blue Velvet. 46 in. Deep, rich velvety blue .....	.50
Bobby Gaul. Red bicolor .....	.60
Bonanza. 30 in. Rich, new yellow-brown Plicata	1.00
Bonsor. 38 in. New, rich pure deep velvety aniline-blue	1.50
Boulderado. Medium blend. Very fine	2.00
Brahmin. 36 in. An intense deep blue, with blue-tipped beard .....	.60
Brasier. 36 in. Rich deep velvety reddish mahogany bicolor .....	.75
Bridal Veil. A lovely white. Beautiful	1.00
Brilliancy. A very striking red bicolor	1.00
Bronze Beacon. 32 in. Standards, lustrous bronze; falls, rich Dahlia-carmine .....	.50
Bronze Champion. 30 in. Bronze Medal Winner. Pure bronze .....	.50
Bronze Glory. 32 in. Gorgeous new true metallic bronze	1.25
Bronzino. Fragrant Variegata75

California
← Gold



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Copper Lustre

	Each
Corinthe. Deep blue-violet	\$1.00
Cortez. 38 in. Standards, yellow; falls, intense brilliant crimson-purple	1.00
Creole Belle. 36 in. New rich Bishop's purple, satiny finish ...	.50
Crimson Petal. 36 in. New clear red throughout. Exceptionally fine	1.50
Crimson Tide. 42 in. Best new red; very velvety, rich glowing color	1.50
Crown Jewel. 34 in. Gorgeous ruffled yellow striped flame-red .	.50
Crown of Gold. A very large lovely yellow. Well formed	2.00
Crystal Beauty. 50 in. Very early. Tallest snow-white, outstanding75



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	Each
Brown Bonnet. Standards dark olive-buff. Falls, Hays russet, a deep brown tone and style, branches golden orange. Beard orange-bronze	\$4.00
Bruno. Fragrant deep blend .....	.50
Buechley Giant. 50 in. Immense brilliant blue. A beauty .....	.50
Buffawn. 40 in. Delightful new ruffled pinkish fawn glow	1.25
Burning Bronze. 40 in. Unsurpassed brilliant red tones .....	.50
Bysantium. 36 in. Best of the tan-brown color range .....	.65
Cadetow. Very pretty Variegata .....	.60
California Gold. 36 in. Best deep yellow. Superb .....	.85
Caroline Burr. Something different in a cream or white Iris. A cool ivory with an odd cast of soft and elusive green. Large and well-proportioned, from 3 to 4 feet tall. Choice variety	7.50
Casque d'Or. New rich Variegata	1.50
Cathedral Dome. Slightly fragrant. White	1.00
Celestielle. 36 in. New English Plicata. Medal Winner	2.50
Cellophane. Fragrant. Soft blue and lavender	2.50
Cetowayo. 45 in. New rich deep indigo-blue. Huge flowers	1.50
Champaign Glow. 38 in. New. Huge flowers of soft yellow	1.25
Charlotte Millet. 36 in. New French Iris. Reddish lilac	1.50
Charm. 33 in. New. Superb large flowers of brilliant red .....	.75
Charming Prince. A very lovely white	2.00
Cheerio. 40 in. Super red tone .....	.65
Chestnut Hill. An enormous deep yellow	1.25
China Maid. 40 in. Best of all pink tones. Gorgeous	1.00
China Rose. 40 in. Improved Frieda Mohr; fine bright pink tone ..	.65
Chloris. 40 in. Soft yellow with orchid and blue flush .....	.45
Christabel. 40 in. Brilliant red tone with lustrous sheen .....	.75
Cincinnati. 42 in. Gorgeous new snow-white .....	.50
City of Lincoln. 40 in. Dykes Medal. Standards, bright yellow; falls, red	1.50
Claire De Lune. Very soft blue	1.00
Clara Noyes. 36 in. Early. Yellow striped red .....	.50
Claret Velvet. 30 in. Perfect deep velvety wine-red self	2.00
Claribel. 45 in. New giant white, with soft blue edging .....	.50
Constance Meyer. 40 in. Beautiful pink tone. Two Medals ....	.60
Copper Lustre. 42 in. Dykes Medal Winner	1.00
Copper Piece. 34 in. Unusual strikingly brilliant copper-red blend. .	.65
Copper Pink. One of the best new soft pinks, flushed with copper with a burnt orange beard. Gold dusted haft and style arms of blue	8.50
Coralie. 38 in. Dykes Medal Winner. Distinctively Raspberry-red .	.65



Happy Days

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Rameses



Clara
Noyes

Each

Dammerine. A large deep red with domed standards and wide falls. Extra fine	\$1.00
Dark Knight. A deep red that is fragrant .....	.75
Dauntless. 40 in. Dykes Medal Winner. Superb red tone .....	.50
Day's Farewell. 48 in. New and very delightful rose-lavender tones ..	2.50
Dazzler. 36 in. Fragrant. Fine red blend .....	.75
Denebola. A very rich brown	3.00
Depute Nomblot. 48 in. Dykes Medal .....	.50
Derek Meyer. 40 in. Early. Rich velvety Pansy-violet. Medal Winner ..	2.50
Deseret. 40 in. Lovely deep yellow veined Hydrangea-red .....	.50
Desert Gold. 30 in. Huge free flowering early soft yellow .....	.50
Destiny. 48 in. Medal Winner. Rich velvety blackish Pansy-violet ....	.65
Devon Maid. 36 in. Deep ivory. English Medal Winner	1.50
Directeur Pinelle. 48 in. Deep velvety blackish garnet-red .....	.65
Dogrose. 50 in. Delightful pink. Silver Medal Winner .....	.75
Dore. 40 in. Standards, lemon-yellow; falls, ivory. Huge flowers .....	.65
Drap d'Or. 48 in. Gorgeous pure lemon-yellow .....	.65
Duart. 42 in. Standards, rosy golden tan; falls, lustrous Hydrangea-red ..	.50
Dymia. 38 in. New, gorgeous dark plum, almost black .....	.50
E. B. Williamson. Lustrous coppery rose. Gold Medal Winner	1.00
Elkhart. 38 in. New. Deep fiery chestnut-brown-red .....	.50
Ella Winchester. 40 in. Large, flowing rosy mahogany-red .....	.65
El Mohr. One of the new Hybrids. An exquisite shade of rich reddish mulberry. An extra rich Iris	6.00
Elsa Sass. 30 in. New sulphur-yellow; white central zone	2.00
El Tovar. 36 in. Standards, bronze; falls, blackish maroon .....	.50
Eothen. A lovely soft ivory .....	.75
Erebian. 40 in. Rich velvety Bordeaux .....	.40
Eros. 42 in. Delightful salmon or Hydrangea-pink .....	.75
Ethel Peckham. 34 in. Sensational red tone. Huge flowers .....	.65
Ethelyn Kleitz. Very distinctive light corinthian-red with Hydrangea-red ..	1.50
Exclusive. 38 in. A lovely new blue tone, being a soft powder-blue ...	.65
Euphony. 36 in. One of the best copper tones, nicely ruffled .....	.50
Fair Elaine. 40 in. New color class. Standards, white; falls, yellow; huge flowers	1.50
Falklands. 36 in. Early. Perfectly hardy new snow-white by Pilkington. ..	1.50
Fascination. Rich pink self. Satiny texture .....	.75
Favart. A striking red self	3.00
Feydeau. An ideal Variegata. Very fine	3.00
Fiesta. Sparkling copper standards, apricot falls. A very gay flower. Needs a little winter protection	2.00
Finette. Fine purple bicolor. A beauty	3.00
Flaming Torch. 32 in. Standards, hellebore; falls; neutral red. Gorgeous ..	2.50
Florentine. 36 in. White with lilac-mauve feathered border	1.50
Forest Fire. 42 in. Best new red tone	1.50
Francesca. 40 in. New deep pink self	1.50
French Maid. Lovely blend of rosy bronze, Wisteria-blue and gold ...	1.50
Frieda Mohr. 42 in. Early, deep pink. A sure prizewinner .....	.50
Gallant Leader. 40 in. New. Bronzy rose-red and velvety maroon blend ..	1.25
Garden Flame. 34 in. Glowing garnet-red self with golden beard and excellent branching habits; is a favorite of the master hybridizers ...	10.00
Gift. 38 in. A perfect flower. Standards, bronze; falls, brilliant Dahlia-carmine .....	.45
Gleam. 42 in. A glorified sky-blue; uniform color throughout .....	.45
Gloriole. 42 in. Immense very soft blue, almost white .....	.65
Glowport. 36 in. Rich glowing wine-red self	1.00
Gold Champion. 36 in. New. Huge, massive uniform bright canary-yellow	2.50
Golden Amber. 36 in. New. Standards, brown; falls, brownish red. Excellent	1.25
Golden Arrow. 42 in. Large pure lemon-yellow, flaring falls	2.50
Golden Bear. 36 in. Pure, glistening, clear rich deep golden yellow ...	.65
Golden Flare. 30 in. Early. Yellow with red flame. Silver Medal ....	.60
Golden Glint. 38 in. A perfect Iris of unsurpassed beauty. Uniform soft gold with a glistening frosty sheen, the full flaring falls having a soft lavender central flush, nicely branched	10.00
Golden Helmet. 36 in. A striking yellow and morocco-red bicolor ....	.60
Golden Hind. 38 in. A real nugget of dazzling golden yellow; best, deepest, and purest yellow. Dykes Medal and Silver Medal .....	.75
Golden Image. 36 in. An amazingly colorful golden bronze blend ....	.45
Golden Madonna. Combination of creamy white and primrose-yellow. Very large	2.50
Golden Melody. 36 in. Early. Huge clear deep yellow	2.50
Golden Slippers. 36 in. New clear bright yellow .....	.65
Golden Star. 36 in. New. Pure deep gold with terra cotta flush	2.50
Golden Treasure. 40 in. Superb soft yellow, flushed deeper. Huge flowers75

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	Each
Gold Mine. 42 in. Pure deep yellow, flushed bronze	\$3.50
Goldsmith. 42 in. Early, pure deep yellow, flushed bronze .	3.50
Good Cheer. 36 in. Pure deep yellow, brilliantly veined red. 1.00	
G. P. Baker. 48 in. Dykes Medal and Silver Medal Winner. Masterpiece yellow; standards, rich primrose; falls, canary .60	
Grand Canyon. Deep blend of gold and copper. Striking beautiful tone, blooms very large. Very different	3.00
Great Lakes. 48 in. Dykes Medal for 1942. Best new sky- blue	2.00
Gudrun. 42 in. Early. Dykes Medal. Massive flowers. Larg- est white .....	.65
Happy Days. 44 in. Largest yellow, superb flowers of huge size .....	.65
Hazel Gallagher. An amazing blending of seven colors. Difficult to describe	2.50
Helen M. Reidel. 40 in. New strikingly brilliant red bicolor. 1.50	
Hermitage. 36 in. Standards, rosy tan; falls, brilliant crim- son. Gorgeous .....	.45
High Hat. 45 in. Early. Large flowers of Ageratum-blue. Very lovely	1.50
Homerun. 36 in. Very early. Standards, bronze; falls, alizar- ine-red	1.75
Huguette. 50 in. Huge tall blue flowers of silky texture, shoulder high, striking and effective .....	.50
Icy Blue. 48 in. Gorgeous flowers of gigantic size in very soft blue, flaring falls measure 8 in. across	2.00
Imperial Blush. 44 in. Largest and finest very soft pink and one of the world's finest Iris .....	.65
Indian Chief. 40 in. Early. Gorgeous red tone. Huge flow- ers. One of the most popular .....	.75
Indian Hills. 38 in. Huge, rich amethyst flowers. Largest of this color. Prolific bloomer .....	.65
Indigo Bunting. 36 in. Unusually handsome deep blue ....	.45
Itasca. 36 in. Pure amethyst. A gorgeous flower .....	.65
Jean Cayeux. 36 in. Unusually handsome deep blue .....	.40
Jerry. 36 in. The most brilliant red. A real gem .....	.60
Jinny Sue. 40 in. A lovely distinctive "Variegata" with soft old-gold standards and flaring pink-toned falls bordered old gold .....	.50
Joycette. 42 in. Superb red-toned self. One of the best ....	.75
July Beauty. 36 in. Very late blooming, tail-bearded Iris. Standards soft powder-blue, falls light violet with violet markings on white, a haft beard light at tip, yellow at throat	5.00
Junaluska. 38 in. Early, vivid velvety carmine .....	.65
King Tut. 32 in. One of our most brilliant red tones .....	.75
Kittanning. 36 in. New. Standards, white, flushed violet; falls, Dahlia-carmine	1.50
K. V. Ayres. 44 in. Soft lavender-grey with pinkish suf- fusion .....	.50
Lady Paramount. 44 in. Very early. Huge flowers. Best medium yellow .....	.65
Lady Priscilla. 32 in. Very dainty Plicata with dainty frilled edges. Early. Very fragrant	1.50
Lagos. 48 in. (Pilkington.) Very late. Standards, ruffled old ivory, edged primrose; falls, same flushed bronze. Throat prominently veined deep yellow. New and unusual	1.50
La Lorraine. A pastel of iridescent copper-pink overlaid on fawn; falls have a touch of lavender-mallow	2.00
L. Merton Gage. Best of all pinks. Falls, rosaline-pink to broad hafts of Baryta-yellow, reticulated Sayal brown; beard light cadmium. Fine shape	7.00
Late Sun. One of the best deep yellows with a red-gold overlay. Six-inch flowers. Very fine	2.50
Lecoq. 30 in. Immense flowers of blue-violet with 7-in. flaring falls	2.50
Legend. 36 in. A super Iris. Standards, lilac; falls, rich vel- vety crimson .....	.45
Liberty Bell. 32 in. White, with a red-toned feather-stitched edge .....	.60
Lilamani. 38 in. An imposing new velvety blue-black ....	.65
Los Angeles. 46 in. Early. Giant "Plicata" .....	.50
Lucero. 42 in. A beautiful frilled bluish white with yellow halo .....	.50
Lucre. 48 in. Brilliant yellow, with lighter flush at the center of each of the falls. A real beauty .....	.50
Lucrezia Bori. 40 in. Very large yellow flowers of perfect form, with ruffled standards and a bronze flush in the falls. .40	
Magnifica. 42 in. Huge flowers much like Julia Marlowe ..	.40

	Each
Majestic Rose. 39 in. A superb new Iris of unusual brilliance. Standards soft rose; falls, rosy violet-red tone	\$1.25
Marinella. 42 in. A gorgeous French creation. Standards, pure gold of silken texture; falls, garnet-red, with golden border ..	1.00
Marvelous. 40 in. Bright yellow, brushed bronzy red. Best of its type. Huge flowers. You'll like it .....	.65
Mary Geddes. 36 in. Dykes Medal Winner. A gorgeous Iris ..	.65
Massenet. 36 in. A superb yellow and red bicolor originated in France. One of our most brilliant Iris	1.25
Mata Hari. 40 in. Very late. New. Velvety intense indigo- purple. A perfect Iris .....	.75
Matula. 40 in. Luscious new velvety rosy tan	1.50
Matterhorn. One of the finest pure whites. Very large	1.50



Mrs. Valerie West



Jean
Cayeux

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Mary
Geddes

Pink
Satin

	Each
May Day. 40 in. A stunning apricot, brushed with copper	\$1.50
Michaelangelo. 42 in. A new color, uniform dove-grey throughout ...	.65
Melitza. One of the finest pinks. A salmon-flesh self	3.00
Midgard. 36 in. Popular pink and yellow blend .....	.65
Midwest Gem. 36 in. Enchanting new peach and lavender blend ...	1.50
Ming Yellow. 36 in. Huge flowers of rich smooth yellow	1.50
Miss Aravilla. 36 in. A new deep rich red blend of great beauty ....	.75
Miss Bonnie. 38 in. New 1943. Fine large flowers of garnet-red	1.50
Miss California. 48 in. One of the three finest new pink tones .....	.75
Missouri. 44 in. Pure blue. Dykes Medal Winner .....	.65
Mme. Maurice Lassailly. 36 in. Dykes Medal. A lovely brilliant blue bicolor of French origin	1.50
Mme. Recamier. 42 in. Finest soft tan and pink pastel blend	1.25
Mme. Ullman. 36 in. A charming lavender-blue with silvery reflex ..	1.25
Modiste. 38 in. Perfectly formed handsome soft mauve .....	.85
Monadnock. 50 in. Huge flowers of bright rose. Falls spread 7½ in. .	1.50
Morgane. A very rich brown blend	2.00
Morocco Rose. 36 in. One of the best new soft pink tones	1.25
Mountain Mist. 36 in. The name describes the unusual smoke-grey color of this beautiful silky Iris .....	.50
Mountain Snow. 38 in. Early. Huge white, with bluish cast	1.00
Mountain Sunset. 30 in. Delightful medley of sunset colors	1.00
Mt. Washington. 37 in. A huge pure white that is generally consid- ered the most perfectly formed white Iris	1.25
Mrs. Valerie West. 36 in. A masterpiece, originally \$65.00 .....	.50
Mulberry Rose. 40 in. Flowers large and fine form. Deep radiant rose self showing a brown shade. The beard is heavy bronze	8.00
National Giant. 42 in. New. Massive flowers, largest yet. 7 in. by 6 in. standards, soft violet; falls, raisin-purple	7.50
Natividad. 40 in. Early. A very lovely old ivory, real aristocrat and a great beauty .....	.40
Ned LeFevre. 36 in. Huge plant, 9 to 11 blooms. Onionskin-pink, flushed lilac, pinkish orange blend. Orange beard	4.00
Nene. 38 in. This very stunning Iris is one of the world's largest and finest introduced to date. Standards, soft lilac; falls, rich old rose. General effect red tone .....	.50
Neon. 48 in. A shining spot in the garden, hence the name. Stand- ards, rosy tan; falls, deep velvety carmine .....	.50
Noel. 40 in. New. A perfect white Iris faintly flushed cream	5.00
Noonday Sky. 42 in. Early. New. Huge mauve flowers with flaring falls measuring 7 in. from tip to tip	2.00
No-We-Ta. 33 in. Early. A favorite pink .....	.65
Orange Boy. 36 in. A new color, orange-red blend. A perfect Iris ...	7.50
Orange Bronze. 40 in. New. Huge flowers, 6 in. across in a soft tan or brown tone. Best in this class to date	2.50
Oregon Sunshine. 42 in. New. Huge flowers of smooth soft lemon- yellow. One of the largest and best	1.00
Orlana. 32 in. Early. Pure crystal-white of perfect form and heavy substance and a prodigious bloomer .....	.45
Ormohr. Giant Iris of palest lilac overcast with silver, veining of violet	1.50
Orloff. 38 in. A new yellow Plicata. Ground peppered bronzy red. A real beauty	1.00
Our Lady of the Snows. 42 in. A new large beautiful white. Fine large flowers in greatest profusion .....	.50
Pageant. 54 in. The largest, tallest and finest pinkish lilac tone. A real 5-star Iris	1.00
Patricia. 38 in. A new ruffled pure white of great beauty	1.50
Paulette. 54 in. Tallest and one of the largest and finest light blues. A real aristocrat .....	.50
Peacemaker. 54 in. Very tall soft grey, with a violet central zone to each of the lower petals. Handsome .....	.40
Pearl Lustre. 38 in. Large perfectly formed cream, with attractive soft lemon area at the throat	1.00
Pearl Princess. 38 in. New. Indescribably beautiful soft mother-of- pearl tints throughout	1.00
Pink Imperial. 54 in. Early. New. Exquisite soft uniform pink of huge size. One of the three best in this color	2.50
Pink Jadu. 36 in. White, edged soft violet. Beautifully frilled .....	.60
Pink Opal. 48 in. One of our very choice soft pink tones. This variety is well named .....	.75
Pink Satin. 46 in. One of our finest pink tones .....	.75
Piute. 32 in. A rich luscious red about the color of the Red Douglas ..	.75
Platinum Beauty. 36 in. Very soft pink and soft yellow pastel blend, with a sparkling silvery sheen	1.25
Platon. 48 in. Huge deep rich violet flowers; velvety flaring falls ...	1.50
Plurabelle. 38 in. Very handsome. Standards, soft ecru; falls, soft rosy lilac65

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	Each
Poinsettia. 38 in. Early. Huge Dahlia-carmine bicolor with flaring falls measuring 7 in. from tip to tip	\$1.50
Polar King. Fragrant. Excellent white	3.00
Prairie Sunset. A gorgeous Iris, half of the colors of the rainbow are coalesced in the loveliest combinations imaginable	4.50
Pres. Pilkington. 40 in. A gorgeous blending of many pastel tints; pink, brown, soft yellow, etc. ....	.35
Professeur Mitchell. 42 in. Enormous velvety flowers in red tones ..	.75
Purple Spire. 38 in. New. Rich lustrous velvety purple, massive flowers ..	1.00
Radiant. 30 in. New. Standards, burnished orange; falls, glowing copper-red	1.00
Rameses. 42 in. Tourmaline-pink and soft yellow. Dykes Medal Winner ..	.65
Rebellion. 36 in. A new smooth velvety rich red tone .....	.65
Red Beauty. 30 in. New and brilliant. Standards, Hydrangea-red; falls, violet-carmine .....	.65
Red Bonnet. One of the purest dark reds .....	.75
Red Gleam. A red Iris that actually looks red, nearest approach to scarlet. Is of good size, free bloomer	3.00
Red Glory. 32 in. New 1944. Standards, soft rose; falls, blackish coppery red	3.50
Red Glow. 36 in. Standards, silky lustrous bronze, flushed lilac; falls, deep velvety red .....	.65
Red Meadow. 32 in. New 1944. Standards, Hydrangea-red; falls, violet-carmine	2.50
Red Melody. 30 in. New 1944. Entire flower bright red	2.50
Red Robe. 36 in. New. Large, handsome, velvety, deep mahogany-red .....	.65
Red Robin. 36 in. New 1944. A real true dark red ...	2.50
Red Ruby. 38 in. New 1944. Standards, pink; falls, velvety Dahlia-carmine	2.50
Red Sunset. 38 in. New 1943. Standards, brownish rose; falls, Dahlia-carmine. Large flowers, perfect form, excellent branching	2.50
Red Valor. 42 in. Huge flowers of perfect form. Flaring falls spread 7 in. Fine red tone. Rome Medal 1940	5.00
Rheingauperlle. 34 in. Gorgeous free flowering apple-blossom-pink. Gardenia fragrance .....	.65
Ronda. 30 in. A real 5-star red-toned Iris. Color similar to Rubeo .....	.50
Rose Allure. 30 in. New 1943. Standards, seashell-pink; falls, Dahlia-carmine with a narrow buff border. Unusual and attractive	3.50
Rosemont. 40 in. An unusual and very beautiful soft rose tone .....	.40
Rosy Flush. 40 in. One of pinkest Iris, yellow at center ..	1.50
Rosy Wings. 48 in. Dykes Medal Winner for 1939 as the finest Iris of the year. A marvelous soft pink blend ..	.65
Royal Beauty. 40 in. Huge velvety deep blue. A perfect beauty .....	.40
Royal Coach. 33 in. New. Bright yellow Plicata beautifully bordered and dotted brown. A real gem .....	.75
Royal Command. 40 in. Striking rich velvety Dubonnet-red	1.00
Royal Red. 36 in. Huge flowers. A larger and redder Nene	1.00
Royal Sceptre. 42 in. Early. New. Very lovely soft primrose-yellow	1.50
Royal Splendour. 34 in. New 1944. A superb velvety red, the most impressive in my collection. Standards, brilliant rose; falls, carmine	5.00
Ruth Pollock. 36 in. Best of the new yellow Plicata. Yellow, etched rose around the border	5.00
Sable. 40 in. New. Velvety near black with blue beard. Best of this color, positively stunning	1.75
Sahara. 34 in. Magnificent soft primrose-yellow. Silver Medal and Dykes Medal Winner	1.50
Sails Aloft. 36 in. A very lovely even-toned bluish pearl-gray .....	.75
Sandalwood. 34 in. Pale bronze with a pink and yellow suffusion .....	.75
Sandia. 39 in. A superb bright clear deep pink. A perfect Iris .....	.50
San Francisco. 44 in. Huge flowers, perfect form. White with blue feahter stitchededging. Dykes Medal Winner .....	.75
Sargon. 39 in. A magnificent dark purple bicolor of great size	2.00



Eros



Wm. Mohr

Wittman's Orchids in Iris

Each

Sole Mio. 48 in. Early. Massive flowers of uniform soft yellow, measuring 7 in. from tip to tip. **Gold Medal, Rome, 1938**\$5.00

Song Bird. 44 in. New 1944. Standards, soft tan, flushed soft rose; falls, deep rose 1.00

Song of Gold. 38 in. A perfect yellow, large size, perfect form, satiny smoothness 1.50

Southern Pacific. A very strong grower producing flowers well up to nine-inch spread of a soft shade of rich lavender-blue and has a delicate pinkish glow throughout with a light area through the center. Falls are penciled darker through the haft. The beard is orange at the base shading to lighter at the outer end. Blooms two and four at a time. Stems three to four feet tall. Blooming period thirty days. This is a gracious addition to the Iris family 4.00

Spokane. 36 in. Huge flowers. Standards, pure fawn-brown; falls Bordeaux-red40

Spring Prom. 38 in. New. Soft primrose with ruffled standards65

Stella Polaris. 42 in. A large cool white with great superiority of form and substance 3.50

Sunburst. 40 in. Large deep yellow of fine form and good texture. One of the best65

Sungold. 52 in. Very early. Large, smooth, uniform medium yellow, of enormous size, with a polished ivory finish. The finest yellow85

Sunmist. 35 in. Very early. A very lovely early soft yellow aristocrat40

Sunset Gold. 32 in. Pure, deep, rich, smooth, uniform yellow, much like Golden Majesty, but a deeper color 2.50

Sunset Tan. 36 in. A gorgeous new uniform light pinkish tan effect 2.00

Sylvan Belle. 40 in. This Iris is the best white that can be purchased. The flowers are pure white with many flowers open at a time. Yellow beard with golden venations at haft. A gorgeous Iris 10.00

Sweet Fragrance. A very lovely rosy buff 2.00

Tarantella. 36 in. Nicely frilled snow-white with a deep pink featherstitched border50

The Bishop. 38 in. A new Bishop's purple of regal splendor 1.50

The Black Douglas. 38 in. Best of the near black tones. Huge size, velvety. General effect intense deep blackish Pansy-violet. A real 5-star variety.50

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Sea Dawn. 38 in. A beautifully ruffled, silky soft pinkish taupe\$0.50

Sensation. 48 in. A real sensation in blue60

Sesostris. 40 in. Huge flowers of velvety blackish Pansy-purple65

Setting Sun. 36 in. Standards, frilled coppery red; falls, fiery crimson 1.00

Shannopin. An outstanding tall cream and pink, center of flower golden 3.00

Shining Waters. 4 to 5 ft. Early. Uniform clear sky-blue, with a sparkle like the sun shining on the water, hence the name45

Shirvan. 36 in. Rich glowing red and tan colors of a Shirvan rug45

Siegfried. 44 in. Huge flowers of soft yellow, with bronze-feathered border65

Sierre Blue. 50 in. **Dykes Medal Winner.** Pure blue .. .60

Each

Silver Chimes. 42 in. **English Medal Winner.** Huge pure snow-white\$1.50

Silver Glaze. 36 in. New 1944. Aristocratic sparkling silvery blue with a silver glaze 1.50

Silver Jubilee. 36 in. Mammoth icy white, with silver sheen. Profuse bloomer60

Sir Launcelot. 32 in. A most unusual copper-red toned variety of rich brilliance65

Sir Mark Collett. 54 in. Early. Immense flowers. Standards, soft violet; falls, flaring red tone. Superb 1.00

Smolder. 38 in. Very late. Rich velvety black-purple with red undertone 1.00

Snoqualmie. 36 in. Gorgeous soft yellow of mammoth size with great beauty85

Snow Flurry. 48 in. A beautiful ruffled blue-white, the unopened buds are lightly tinted blue. Large beautiful flowers 4.50

Snow King. 42 in. Tie for second place for **Dykes Medal, 1939.** A new snow-white of perfect form, great size and beauty. Generally considered the best white to date75

Snow Shadow. 30 in. White with a very faint lavender shadow75

So Big Texas. An improved Southern Pacific which many find even far superior to its parent plant. Flowers over 9 inches in size. This variety is beyond words the finest in Bearded Iris 10.00

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	Each
Theodolinda. 42 in. White, beautifully edged with a soft blue featherstitching. Unsurpassed in its class. The flowers are of huge size	\$0.65
The Pearl. 36 in. Large flowers pure white, standards faintly flushed with pale ampero blue	2.00
The Red Douglas. 38 in. A brilliant uniform rich deep red. By many considered the best red Iris to date .....	.85
Three Sisters. The finest Iris introduced in years. Striking combination of red and white	7.00
Tiffany. 36 in. Something new in Iris .....	.75
Tiger-Tiger. 36 in. One of the very finest of all Iris. Standards, rich tan; falls, brilliant velvety Van Dyke-red .....	.75
Timagami. 36 in. Amazingly brilliant and beautiful copper-red flowers produced in greatest profusion. A stunning garden effect ..	.60
Torchlight. 42 in. Bronze Medal in England , where it originated. Without doubt the most brilliant Variegata. Standards, sunflower-yellow; falls, crimson	5.00
Trail's End. 38 in. An outstanding color and a tremendously free bloomer. Standards, orange-red over bronzy yellow; falls, strawberry-red .....	.50
Treasure Island. 36 in. Superb beautifully frilled deep yellow with a lighter flush at the center of each of the falls .....	.50
True Delight. 36 in. Superb Plicata .....	.50
Velvet Wonder. 36 in. Huge flowers, fine form, perfect branching and spacing. Very dark but rich blackish red-purple	3.50
Veined Beauty. 34 in. White, heavily veined and stippled deep violet	1.00
Venus De Milo. 44 in. Second choice for Dykes Medal, 1936 . Gigantic flowers. Snowy white perfection .....	.50
Vert Gallant. 50 in. Dykes Medal Winner .....	.75
Viipuri. 36 in. Standards, iridescent white, slightly flushed lilac; falls, violet-purple, blending to a margin the color of the standards. It's gorgeous	1.25
Voltigeur. 48 in. A real 5-star Iris. Standards, Bishop's purple; falls, flaring rich velvety deep mahogany-red. Huge flowers .....	.60
Wantage. 24 in. Very early. Standards, lilac; falls, deep velvety, rich purple with black sheen .....	.65
Wasatch. 40 in. Glistening white, etched around the border with blue .....	.50
West Point. 44 in. Late. A new Iris in a new color, pure rich indigo-blue. Perfect form, long blooming period	3.50
White City. 48 in. Dykes Medal. Immense white, flushed soft blue. 6.00	
White Goddess. 38 in. A glistening pure snow-white. Some consider it the best white Iris	1.50
Wildfire. 36 in. Deep brilliant fiery red throughout. Excellent	1.00
Wm. A. Setchell. Early. The world's largest Iris of mammoth size, deep blue	2.50
Wm. Carey Jones. 30 in. Smooth, soft, clear ivory-colored flowers of perfect form. Nicely branched and a prodigious bloomer .....	.40
Wm. Mohr. A huge exotic lavender with a fine network of purple veins. A beauty .....	.75
Wonderchild. 40 in. Very large, magnificent deep Pansy-purple ...	.50
W. R. Dykes. 40 in. Early. Huge deep yellow	1.50
Yellowite. 38 in. Introduced in 1943. A great improvement on Elsa Sass. Much larger, brighter, and more contrast. Standards, bright yellow; falls, white with a yellow border to match the standards..	15.00
Zuni. 40 in. Huge velvety flowers of rich glowing red-brown, suffused copper .....	.65



Suggestions for Planting Iris

Plant Iris freely amongst your perennials, shrubs, annuals; in fact, any place in your garden. Many hobbyists have hundreds of varieties of tall Bearded Iris planted in groups blending in colors, in solid beds. It is impossible to describe a bed of a hundred varieties of Bearded Iris. Many of today's Bearded Iris are very fragrant, also many measure up to 5 and 6 inches in size. Colors range in so many shades it would fill pages to begin to describe. Plant Bearded Iris to top of surface so that sun can bake the roots, in a dry location in sweet alkaline soil; once planted they need practically no care at all. All Iris should be replanted every three or four years.



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YES, the blazing, self-assertive tomboys of the Perennial Border, the Oriental Poppies of yesterday, have given place to a new generation of exquisite Hybrids. The new shades that will be worn by well-dressed Poppies this season are charming indeed. There are brilliant new reds, scarlets and crimsons for those who wish to emphasize the trombone notes in their garden; and there are entrancing new Burgundy-rose, soft and deep corals, old rose, lavender and soft pink to flesh tints for those who prefer the "sweet and low" notes. And the new pure Tangerine color has at last come upon the scene. And there are not only new color tones, but the texture of their gowns is also intriguing, smooth, silky, or elaborately and beautifully creped. The group of new hybrid Oriental Poppies that I am offering this season will surely delight the most critical connoisseur.

WHERE TO PLANT THESE GORGEOUS HYBRIDS

These exquisite new hybrids can be fitted into almost any color scheme. For example, what would be more pleasing than an informal group of such Poppies as Enchantress, Exquisite, Fairy, Sass Pink, Ballet Girl, Henry Cayeux, New Perfection or Wunderkind in front of a row or a group of our choice Delphiniums? A square foot anywhere in the garden, excepting in dense shade, will accommodate a Poppy plant, while a still more pleasing effect can be obtained by planting groups of three or more of a kind together. The taller growing varieties are striking when planted between Peonies and any of them are handsome planted among Tall Bearded Iris and other perennials. A few varieties marked * should be grown in partial shade to bring out the full beauty of their delicate colors. Just a filtering of direct sunlight is all they need. Other varieties may be grown either in full sun or partial shade as preferred.

HEIGHTS DESIGNATED FOR YOUR GUIDANCE

The heights specified here are the heights as measured in my own Long Island Gardens. The heights will vary with soil fertility and general garden conditions, but those given will serve as a comparative guide.

POPPIES FOR CUTTING

Contrary to general belief, Poppies are excellent as cut flowers if properly prepared. They should be cut just as the flower is freshly opened, then burn the ends of the stems over a flame until thoroughly charred to a length of one or two inches. Plunge the stem in cool deep water and place them in the shade where it is not too warm, for an hour or two. After this, add fresh cool water twice a day, morning and evening. I have known a bouquet of Poppies to remain in excellent condition for almost a week by this method of handling them.

Cultural Suggestions

For Growing Poppies Successfully

Buy Only Strong Field-Grown Plants That Have Been Grown from Root Divisions of the Original Plants

Strongly urge never to purchase any seedlings as you will never receive the same quality and they will be rather a sad disappointment. Our stock is all of authentic Hybrid varieties grown from original plants that will bloom profusely.

Always plant Poppies in midsummer during normal rest periods. Poppies are handled very successfully if planted any time from July to the end of September even through October if necessary. These plants will flower the following spring.

Plant Poppies in well-drained soil. Always plant in one of the higher spots in your garden so the plants are not grown in too wet soil.

Poppies will do well in any soil or location. Lime or acid soil is equally suited. Fertilizer is unnecessary unless soil is too poor to grow weeds. Roots of Poppies grow straight down to a depth of two to three feet and find nourishment where none would seem to exist.

Planting Poppies. Spade your soil twelve inches deep. If heavy soil add gravel, ashes or sand so that it is porous. Then dig a hole, place your plant straight down so that the top of the plant is but two inches under the ground. Water thoroughly after planting, continue to do so if very dry. These plants will grow some green leaves through the fall. When the ground is frozen cover lightly with salt hay or straw. In the spring, rake off hay, cultivate soil freely. Poppies are very easily grown, need very little attention and will give permanent charm to your garden.

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	Each	Three	Six		Each	Three	Six
Ballet Girl. 28 in. Very beautiful flowers of soft coral-pink	\$1.50	\$4.00	\$7.50	Lightness. 26 in. An unusual flower on account of its variable coloring, with varying amounts of white at the base, deepening to jasper-pink at the border	\$0.75	\$2.00	\$3.75
Barr's White. 40 in. Very large, heavily creped white with a very soft shell-pink flush when first open. Dark mahogany spots at the base of each petal, blending into bright pink at the base of the spots	1.00	2.75	5.00	Lord Lambburne. 36 in. Deep orange-scarlet with a black spot at the base of each petal..	.75	2.00	3.75
Beauty of Livermore. 39 in. Huge flowers of vivid spectrum-red on sturdy erect flowering stalks with distinctive foliage .....	.75	2.00	3.75	Lulu A. Neely. 40 in. One of the most brilliant and beautiful of all Oriental Poppies. Color between spectrum-red and carmine .....	.75	2.00	3.75
Betty Ann. 32 in. Very lovely crinkled flowers of clear soft La-France-pink. An unusually long flowering season	1.50	4.00	7.50	Mandarin. 30 in. Huge flowers of vivid dazzling cherry-red, usually without spots when fully established .....	.50	1.25	2.50
Cavalier. 40 in. Huge crinkled flowers of vivid red with a jet black spot at base of each petal .....	.75	2.00	3.75	Mary Ellen. 36 in. Pure soft shell-pink, without the slightest speck of any other color	1.50	4.00	7.50
Cedar Hill. 32 in. Delightful soft shell-pink flowers beautifully frilled and of large size, with light purple spots at the base of each petal ..	.75	2.00	3.75	May Sadler. 32 in. One of the largest water-melon-pink, with a jet-black spot at the base of each petal .....	.50	1.25	2.50
Cerise Beauty. 32 in. A very lovely deep cerise-colored variety with crimson center and beautifully creped petals .....	.75	2.00	3.75	Mrs. Perry. 30 in. One of the most popular of the soft pink Poppies. A lovely color and an exquisite variety .....	.50	1.25	2.50
Cowichan. 32 in. Huge, beautifully ruffled flowers, ten inches in diameter of pure deep intense flaming red, with small shiny black spots at the base of each petal	1.50	4.00	7.50	Negrillon. 30 in. An unusual shade of dark deep Bordeaux-red, almost mahogany, changing to bronze	1.50	4.00	7.50
Dainty Lady. 36 in. Exquisite soft clear shell-pink. Flowers slightly creped. Aptly named.	1.25	3.50	6.50	New Perfection. 36 in. Lovely soft ruffled pink flowers, with small jet-black spots at the base of each petal .....	.75	2.00	3.75
Dawn. 30 in. Soft Faust-pink to blush-white with heavy satiny finished crinkled petals; fan-shaped dark maroon area at base of each petal ..	.75	2.00	3.75	Olympia. 32 in. Most unusual. The color is deep salmon and it is fully double. It is also 2 weeks earlier than all other Oriental Poppies ..	.50	1.25	2.50
Delight. 38 in. Slightly crinkled pure soft pink. The flowers are of heavy substance and produced in great profusion	1.00	2.75	5.00	Orange Perfection. 36 in. It is described as orange, tinted pink .....	.75	2.00	3.75
Edna Perry. 36 in. An unusual bright coral-pink, large and beautifully creped .....	.75	2.00	3.75	Perry's White. 32 in. A fine satiny white with a dark maroon spot at base of each petal .....	.75	2.00	3.75
Enchantress. 48 in. A magnificent new variety with large creped flowers of an unusual lilac-pink tone. Very rare .....	.75	2.00	3.75	Pink Lustre. 36 in. A luscious Geranium-pink.	1.50	4.00	7.50
Exquisite. 36 in. A new and very rare variety with beautifully "crushed" petals of shell-pink.	1.25	3.50	6.50	Princess Victoria Louise. 36 in. Deep water-melon-pink, with small shiny ebony spots at the base of each petal. Large flowers	1.00	2.75	5.00
Fairy. 28 in. Dainty pure soft pink flowers produced in great profusion .....	.50	1.25	2.50	Proserpine. 34 in. Very large, vivid Chinese-red with a jet-black spot at base of each petal ...	.50	1.25	2.50
Flanders Fields. 42 in. Huge ruffled flowers of deep vivid crimson, small black spot at the base of each petal .....	.75	2.00	3.75	Purity. 32 in. Produces tremendous quantities of very dainty small salmon-pink flowers ...	.75	2.00	3.75
Glowing Embers. 40 in. A very beautiful ruffled bright red .....	.50	1.25	2.50	Redlight. I was driving along one evening, wondering what I should name this new variety, when it dawned upon me, that it is just about the color and brilliance of an auto tail-light, hence the name	1.50	4.00	7.50
Gold of Ophir. 32 in. Large golden orange flowers with beautifully crinkled petals and a large black satiny spot at base of each petal.	.75	2.00	3.75	Ridgewood Beauty. 36 in. The most ruffled of all Poppies. Beautiful bright pink..	.75	2.00	3.75
Goliath. 39 in. Huge fine 4-petaled cup-shaped blossoms of intense brilliant orange-scarlet with shiny black spot at base of each petal..	.75	2.00	3.75	Rose Beauty. 32 in. A new rose-pink variety edged silver	1.50	4.00	7.50
Grossfurst. 42 in. Immense flowers of orange-red, with a lacquered coal-black spot at the base of each petal	1.00	2.75	5.00	Sass Pink. 36 in. New soft pink Poppy with a dark maroon spot at the base of each petal. Nicely ruffled large flowers .....	.75	2.00	3.75
Helen Elizabeth. 33 in. Choice of all the pink Poppies, beautifully creped	1.50	4.00	7.50	Scarlet King. 36 in. Huge and very beautiful scarlet flowers with a long varnished black stripe at the base of each petal .....	.75	2.00	3.75
Henry Cayeux. 33 in. A most unusual purplish old rose color. Beautifully creped petals ....	.75	2.00	3.75	Silver Blick. 36 in. A fine soft silvery pink tone.	.75	2.00	3.75
Hercule. 42 in. Mammoth flowers of true scarlet, often measuring 9 inches across, borne on erect tall sturdy stems	1.00	2.75	5.00	Spotless. 36 in. Delightful soft salmon-pink flowers which are spotless on established plants ..	1.00	2.75	5.00
Jeannie Mawson. 32 in. Unusually beautiful bright Geranium-pink flowers of huge size ...	.75	2.00	3.75	Tangerine. 38 in. A true tangerine color, with a red spot at the base of each petal. In a class by itself	1.00	2.75	5.00
Joyce. 48 in. One of the most attractive of all Poppies in an unusual brilliant watermelon-red ..	.50	1.25	2.50	Vestal Flame. 36 in. Deep coral outside and flame-red inside, with an oval mulberry spot at the base of each petal	1.00	2.75	5.00
Julia Buck. 40 in. New; very large flowers of superb form in a most attractive deep coral-red	1.00	2.75	5.00	Watteau. 24 in. A very lovely, smooth, soft shrimp-pink, with a cherry-red flush at the base	1.00	2.75	5.00
June Delight. 44 in. Large, ruffled soft pink flowers, produced in the greatest profusion. One of the finest pinks	2.50	6.50	12.00	Welcome. 40 in. Very large ruffled flowers of deep vivid lacquered red, which shines as though it were polished. One of the best reds.	1.00	2.75	5.00
Lachs Konigen. 38 in. Very lovely slightly creped flowers of luscious watermelon-pink, or peach-red with a pinkish cast .....	.75	2.00	3.75	Whirlwind. 36 in. Huge orange-yellow and it is undoubtedly the best of this color	2.50	6.50	12.00
				Wuertembergia. 38 in. One of the largest and finest brilliant scarlet Poppies .....	.50	1.25	2.50
				Wunderkind. 36 in. A rich Begonia-rose color, quite unlike any other Poppy, with a dark maroon spot at the base of each petal	1.00	2.75	5.00

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LOCATION, PLANTING AND CARE OF DAYLILIES

As previously stated Daylilies can be planted anywhere and thrive successfully with practically no care at all.

I have seen Daylilies growing where weeds didn't have a chance to grow, however, these Daylilies continue to flower. Naturally they didn't grow as rapidly nor were the size of flowers up to standard.

Any location, whether exposed to full sun or part shade, will grow Daylilies satisfactorily. Soil can either be acid or alkaline, sandy loam or clay.

Daylilies can be planted any time from March until November. The plants are very rugged, can stand any amount of neglect and are also extremely hardy. They are like Peonies, you have very few flowers the first year, however once established, they will bloom profusely, many plants producing hundreds of flowers per season. These Lilies can remain in the same location for years.

Daylilies respond to feeding of rotted cow manure, bone meal is also excellent. They are surprisingly free from diseases and insect pests.

The Daylily is by far the most conventional plant for your garden, regardless of your location; whether they are planted where the temperature goes to 40 degrees below or one of the hottest, driest locations in our country, or along your pool, brook or lake, these plants will lavishly produce flowers in abundance. If proper varieties are selected, you will have Daylily blooms from May until frost.

Daylilies can also be used as cut flowers. One spray will flower for a week, new flowers opening daily. They can be arranged handsomely with other perennials.

They also help to make up stunning flower gardens. Plant 3 or 5 in groups between your Phlox, Delphiniums, Peonies, etc. Are also exceptionally outstanding in border plantings for they are so stately.

Daylilies can also be filled in amongst your shrubbery, they indeed will dress up any foundation planting. Many individuals are making a hobby collecting Daylilies. With today's newer varieties it definitely will give you plenty of pleasure to assemble our many new colors in your enchanting garden.



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Texas Splendor



Imperator



Painted Lady

Amaryllis. 46 in. Fragrant golden orange. Flower 6 inches. July and August. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Anna Betscher. 42 in. Pure deep orange-yellow. July and August. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Annis Victoria Russell. Huge 7 to 9 inches. Golden yellow flowers. Profuse bloomer. **\$3.50 each; 3 for \$9.00.**

Arleene. Rosy red. Deep red eye zone and an unusually showy, deep orange throat. Keeps well. 5-inch bloom. Height 3½ ft. May. **\$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.50.**

Auredle. 36 in. Early brilliant orange-yellow. May and June. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Bagdad. 42 in. Combination orange, red, yellow and brown. June and July. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Bay State. 42 in. Clear smooth yellow, perfect-formed flower. July and August. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Bicolor. 42 in. Yellowish orange, pale red throat tinged rose. July and August. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Bobby. Cherry-red, open medium wide, flary petals twisted, sepals recurved. Deep red, wide eye zone. Orange throat. Excellent. Bloom 5 inches. Height 3½ ft. **\$10.00 each; 3 for \$25.00.**

Boutonniere. 36 in. Small clear yellow petals recurving, rosy peach. August and September. **\$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.**

Brilliance. Light red. Petals fine deep brown-red; sepals some lighter, deeper eye zone. Yellow throat. A fine red dwarf. Bloom 4 inches; height 20 inches. May and June. **\$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.**

Bright Lights. Light red petals and sepals; deeper eye zone, chrome throat. Bloom 6 inches; height 2½ ft. May and June. **\$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.50.**

Bronzetta. 56 in. Huge brilliant bronze-coppery red. **\$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.50.**

Burbank. 44 in. Lemon-yellow, originated by Luther Burbank. June and July. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Burma. Rosy brown petals, deep rose eye zone; sepals yellow overcast rose. Yellow throat. Keeps well. A "honey." Wide, 5-inch bloom. Height 2½ ft. May and June. **\$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.**

Calypso. 36 in. Clear lemon-yellow. July and August. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Centennial. Cinnamon. Wide, petals ruffled, light cinnamon. Sepals rich deep gold. This one must be had. 4-inch bloom. Height 3 ft. May and June. **\$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.**

Chrysolora. 58 in. Large medium yellow. July and August. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Cinnabar. 36 in. Large delicate and unusual shade of brownish red. July and August. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Coral Sea. Coral-fawn. Coral petals, heavily veined deeper coral sepals. Very narrow, deep coral eye zone with a yellow distinct star-shaped throat. Petals ruffled, sepals reflexed. Keeps well. 4-in. flower; height 3½ ft. **\$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.**

Cressida. 36 in. Magnificent deep orange with red star at the throat. July and August. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Crown of Gold. 48 in. Clear bright medium yellow. **\$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.**

Dauntless. 36 in. Pastel canary-yellow, greenish yellow throat. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Dawn. 38 in. English introduction. Coppery pink with canary-yellow throat. July and August. **\$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.**

Debutante. Rosy pink petals and sepals. Faintly deeper eye zone. Sepals reflexed; petals wide and uplifted. Slightly pinched. Very fine. Bloom 4½ inches; height 3½ ft. May and June. **\$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.**

Donald Wyman. 44 in. 6 inch; golden yellow flower, bright red spot on each petal. July and August. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Dumortieri. 18 in. Lovely rich cadmium-yellow. May and June. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Dr. Regel. 24 in. Fragrant orange-yellow. May. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**



Mrs. Hugh Johnson



Dawn



Bobby



Royal Splendor

Duo Bloom. 50 in. Deep yellow-red striped throat. June and July. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Egypt. 43 in. Coppery red with brilliant orange throat. **\$7.50 each; 3 for \$20.00.**

Eleanor. Two tone. Sepals a pure lemon. Petals, wide and ruffled fully and generously sprinkled a rosy pink, faint darker eye zone. Throat, green. Petals and sepals ruffled and recurved. This is a real "must have." 5-inch bloom; height 2½ ft. May and June. **\$10.00 each; 3 for \$25.00.**

Elegance. 43 in. Coppery red with brilliant orange throat. **\$7.50 each; 3 for \$20.00.**

Esther. Cinnamon-red. Petals cinnamon-red and ruffled. Sepals and throat rich chrome. Deeper eye zone. Medium wide petals. Bloom 6 inches. Height 3½ ft. May. **\$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.50.**

Estmere. 36 in. Apricot-yellow, reverse orange-brown. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Flamid. 36 in. Orange-yellow inside; bronze outside. July. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Flaming Splendor. Petals cherry-red; sepals buff, yellow deeply overcast red. Deep golden throat; ruffled petals. A most profuse little "honey." 3½-inch bloom; opens full. Height 2 ft. May. **\$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.**

Florian. 40 in. Good deep yellow. Petals crimped. July and August. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Frances. Salmon-red, deep. Red eye zone. Greenish yellow throat; ruffled petals. Medium wide. 5-inch bloom. Height 2½ ft. May and June. **\$5.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.**

Fulva. 54 in. Brownish red at center, lighter shade towards the edge. July. **25c each; 6 for \$1.00.**

Gaiety. Rosy red, deeper rich red wide eye zone, green throat, medium wide petals, ruffled and reflexed. Bloom 4½ inches, height 2½ ft. May and June. **\$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.**

Geo. Yeld. 36 in. Huge 6 in. canary-yellow flower brushed red; deeper throat. July and August. **35c each; 5 for \$1.50.**

Gloriana. 48 in. Pure deep yellow. June and July. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Goldeni. Large very deep orange. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Golden Queen. Bicolor type. Golden yellow with a cinnamon eye, deeper yellow throat. Reflexed. Sepals yellow. Medium wide, 5-inch bloom. Height 3½ ft. May and June. **\$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.**

Gold Dust. 30 in. Fine deep orange. May and June. **35c each; 5 for \$1.50.**

Gracilis. 18 in. Dainty lemon-yellow miniature. May and June. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Gypsy. 42 in. Deep orange, slight red shadings. **25c each; 5 for \$1.00.**

Hankow. 42 in. Orange-chrome. July to October. **\$2.00 each; 5 for \$8.00.**

Harvest Moon. 36 in. Clear orange sherbert, free flowering. **35c each; 5 for \$1.00.**

Hemo No. 5. 35 in. Huge deep orange, star-shaped flower; July and August. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Hemo No. 101. 56 in. Heavy flowering, deep golden yellow. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Hermes. 45 in. Clear rich canary-yellow. July. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Hyperion. 48 in. Large waxy canary-yellow. Fragrant. **35c each; 5 for \$1.50.**

Ideal. 28 in. Brilliant deep velvety red. July, August and September. **\$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.**

Imperial. 50 in. Salmon-orange with Morocco-red star. **\$3.00 each.**

Imperator. 40 in. 6- to 7-inch flower; rich orange-red, yellow star throat; English Hybrid. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Iris Perry. 40 in. Brilliant deep orange. July to September. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Jewell. Deepest cinnamon with deep yellow throat. Recurved and keeps well in the evening. Big wide 6-in. bloom. Height 4 ft. May-June. **\$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.**

Jean. Rich vivid velvety red. Wide petals. Deepest orange throat, deeper eye zone. Chrome midrib in petals and sepals. 6-inch bloom; height 3 ft. May and June. **\$10.00 each; 3 for \$25.00.**

Kwanso Flore-Pleno. 48 in. Attractive double orange-copper. **50c each; 5 for \$2.00.**

Lemon King. 48 in. Soft waxy yellow with twisted petals. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Linda. 36 in. Soft yellow with rose zone at throat. **75c each; 5 for \$3.00.**

Lorraine. Rosy red petals; deep red eye zone. Sepals yellow overcast rose. Medium width petals; yellow throat, ruffled petals. Keeps well. 6-inch bloom; 3½ ft. April, May, and June. **\$10.00 each; 3 for \$25.00.**



Mikado

Marcus. 48 in. Large deep yellow with faint bronze overlay. 75c each; 5 for \$3.00.

Margaret Perry. 50 in. Cornelian-red with yellow star at throat. 75c each; 5 for \$3.00.

Mary Stoker. 42 in. Unusual two-tone hybrid. July and August. 75c each; 5 for \$3.00.

Maxine. Rose sepals and petals. Ruffled petals, sepals recurved. Orange throat star-shaped; deep old rose eye zone. Keeps well. Height 3 ft. 5-inch bloom. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Midas. 48 in. Deep smooth yellow. June and July. \$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.

Mikado. 36 in. Fragrant rich orange-mahogany throat. 35c each; 5 for \$1.50.

Minor. 15 in. Dwarf. Primrose-yellow. June. 35c each; 5 for \$1.50.

Miss Houston. 54 in. Novel, real pink with yellow throat. \$15.00 each; 3 for \$40.00.

Moonstone. 42 in. Reddish buff, yellow stripe. Yellow throat. 75c each; 5 for \$3.00.

Mrs. F. Bonner. Large 6 in. Pale yellow. Beautiful. \$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.50.

Mrs. Hugh Johnson. 42 in. A satiny fiery red, yellow throat. \$10.00 each; 3 for \$25.00.

Mrs. W. H. Wyman. 42 in. Free flowering, soft yellow. July and August. 35c each; 5 for \$1.50.

Mulleri. 48 in. English variety, producing masses of yellow flowers. 50c each; 5 for \$2.00.

My Delight. Cherry-red, profuse. Orange throat. Keeps well. Small. Bloom 3 inches; height 3 ft. May and June. \$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.

Olif. 40 in. Large trumpet dark gold. July and August. 35c each; 5 for \$1.50.

Ontour. 42 in. Palest yellow in Hemerocallis. \$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.50.

Ophir. 50 in. Deep golden yellow, 20 to 30 on a stem. July and August. 35c each; 5 for \$1.50.

Orange Flare. Light brown-red petals and sepals; deep red eye zone. Distinct chrome throat. Very profuse and fine. Bloom 3½ inches. Height 3½ ft. May and June. \$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.

Orange Queen. Wide red, deep orange throat; extra wide. Keeps well. 3½-inch bloom; height 2 ft. \$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.

Painted Lady. 36 in. Giant 8- to 9-in. cinnamon with a coral throat. \$15.00 each; 3 for \$40.00.

Pale Moon. A real jewel. Fully recurved and ruffled petals. A yellow multi-floral type with a wide deep rosy eye zone. Keeps well. Bloom 3½ inches. Height 3½ ft. May and June. \$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.

Patricia. 36 in. Soft greenish lemon-yellow. \$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.

Pearl Blow. Peach-brown wide petals; sepals buff, narrow red-cinnamon eye zone. Chrome throat. Bloom 4½ inches; height 3 ft. May and June. \$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.

Perfection. 30 in. Garnet-lemon-chrome star throat. July. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Queen Mary. 54 in. Pure glistening yellow. July and August. 50c each; 5 for \$2.00.

Radiant. 54 in. Clear pure deep orange. 50c each; 5 for \$2.00.

Rajah. 48 in. Brilliant flame-scarlet, pale orange throat. July and August. \$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.

Red Flame. Fiery red, orange throat, fully opened medium wide, petals ruffled. A honey of a dwarf. Bloom 4 inches; height 18 inches. May and June. \$2.00 each; 5 for \$8.00.

Red Velvet. 41 in. Brilliant shining velvety red. July. \$3.00 each.

Rembrandt. Rose-red petals; ruffled, deep rich red eye; orange throat; semi-flary. Very good. 5-inch bloom; height 3 ft. May. \$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.50.

Royal Splendor. Rosy red petals and sepals. Red eye zone. Chrome throat; bloom 4½ inches; height 3½ ft. May and June. \$2.00 each; 5 for \$8.00.

Salmon Queen. Salmon petals and sepals; salmon overcast lavender. Deep gold throat, keeps well. Open full. Medium width; 4-inch bloom; height 3½ ft. May and June. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Salmon Supreme. Salmon new bloom opens in evening before old closes, making this a fine day and night bloomer. Only a small 3½-inch bloom, but how profuse and what a color. Gold sepals, salmon petals with deep rose eye zone. Yellow throat shading to green. Height 3½ ft. May and June. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Sir William. 36 in. Magnificent fragrant Morocco-red. July and August. \$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.

Spitfire. 30 in. Fiery red, yellow throat. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Spring Glory. Bicolor sepals yellow; petals rosy brown; red eye zone; ruffled medium wide petals. Very pretty, yellow throat. Bloom 5 inches; height 2 ft. May. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Spring Time. Bicolor petals real old rose ruffled. Sepals gold, overcast rose-yellow throat. Medium wide, fine. 6-inch bloom; height 2 ft. May and June. \$10.00 each; 3 for \$25.00.

Superba. 34 in. Beautiful Pompeian-red. \$3.50 each; 3 for \$8.00.

Supreme. Two-tone petals wide and ruffled rosy brown. Red eye zone. Chrome throat. Sepals lighter yellow overcast rose. Bloom 6 inches; height 3½ ft. May and June. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Symphony. A 4-inch wide ruffled petal. Sepals recurved. The faintest shade of canary-yellow with a faint red eye zone. Keeps perfectly. A semi-dwarf. Height 2½ ft. May and June. \$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.

The Chateau. Rich yellow with vivid red eye zone. Ruffled petals and sepals. Slightly reflexed and twisted. Medium wide; 4-inch bloom; height 2 ft. May and June. \$1.50 each; 5 for \$6.00.

The Opal. Rose-red sepals and petals. Chrome throat. Keeps well. A "honey." Bloom 4½ inches. Height 3 ft. May and June. \$2.00 each; 5 for \$8.00.

Thunbergia. 40 in. Small, fragrant, tree-flowering yellow. August. 35c each; 5 for \$1.50.

Treasure. Big semi-bi-petals, red deeper eye zone. Sepals yellow, overcast red. Wide petals. Bloom 5 inches; height 2½ ft. May and June. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Vesta. 40 in. Deep cadmium-yellow flushed with orange-red center. June, July and August. \$1.00 each; 5 for \$4.00.

Winsome. 34 in. Soft creamy yellow. Very attractive. 75c each; 5 for \$3.00.



The New Colorful Russell Hybrid Hemerocallis

Plant Phlox Freely

Phlox, one of our hardiest perennials, are offered in so many new striking colors. Phlox will flower from midsummer on up to frost when your perennial garden really needs color. Phlox are almost immune to insects and diseases.

Africa. Brilliant carmine-red with red eye.

Antoinette Six. Splendid white, with large individual flowers.

B. Comte. Produces rich satiny amaranth flowers.

Beacon. Brilliant cherry-red. One of the best.

Bridesmaid. White with deep crimson eye.

Champs Elysees. Very dark rich oxblood-red.

Charles Curtis. A sunset-red.

Cheerfulness. Salmon-orange.

Colonial. Beautiful dark purple.

Daily Sketch. Salmon-pink with crimson eye.

Eiffel Tower. Salmon-pink with deep red eye.

E. I. Farrington. Good soft salmon-pink, with lighter eye.

Fiancee. Pure white.

Frau Anton Buchner. Pure white; splendid spike with flowers 1½ inches across. One of the best whites.

Katherine. Bluish purple.

Leo Schlageter. Brilliant American-Beauty-red; free flowering.

Mary Louise. Beautiful pure white.

Miss Lingard. Early pure white.

Mrs. Chas. Dorr. Beautiful pinkish lavender.

Mrs. Flanders. Pure white.

Mrs. Wm. Jenkins. Late flowering snow-white.

Painted Lady. Silver-pink with salmon shading and cherry-red eye.

Progress. Handsome light blue, deeper purple-blue eyes. Large heads.

Rhineland. Salmon-pink with red eye.

Salmon Beauty. Rich salmon-pink with white eye.

Thor. Excellent salmon-red with deeper eye.

Widar. Most beautiful and lovely lavender.

Your
Choice

• 35c each
• 12 for \$3.00

Wittman's Orchids in Iris - for those who prefer the best

IRIS KAEMPFERI

These gorgeous beauties are the showiest of all Iris. Kaempferi Iris today give you a complete color range of the rainbow. The flowers are so huge, many measuring over ten inches across, some singles, semi-doubles, doubles, mottled, striped, blended, soft pastel colors and other brilliant ones. Kaempferi Iris will start to flower from middle of June and will flower on into July when your garden actually can use some color. They are prodigious bloomers and hardy anywhere.

Cultural Directions: Plant Kaempferi Iris very early in spring, then again after flowering, August to November; however, cover with a few inches of soil or straw for fall planting.

For Diseases follow same instructions as listed under Bearded Iris.

Location: Kaempferi Iris require acid soil (sour soil). For excellent results they should be planted in the dampest part of your garden or along a pool, brook, or lake; however, can be grown in any location with a little extra watering. Kaempferi Iris will prove results the second year as it takes a year for them to establish.

Price on Kaempferi Iris: 75c each; 12 for \$7.50.

Bangkok. 40 in. Early. Huge single flowers of unusual uniform lavender-violet with a single area of deeper violet at the throat surrounding tiny orange spear points. Styles white, tipped lavender.

Betty F. Holmes. 42 in. Huge snow-white flowers of heavy wax-like texture, generally considered the best white.

Blue Eagle. Very large double blue, white in center.

Caroline G. Childs. 32 in. Three large white petals veined blue-violet. Three small standards blue and white. A choice variety.

Chameleon. White marbled and flamed blue. Very light and dark flowers on the same plant.

Cloud Dress. 42 in. Double. Beautifully formed with a dainty network of soft mauve veins over a white ground.

Condor. Large flat flower, round petals, red with gold center.

Conspicuous. Striking light blue on white ground, deep blue stripes; deep purple, white-edged stands. This is a three-petal variety, very large and attractive. Every one wants this one.

Court Gown. 36 in. Magnificently brilliant rich red-purple flowers of unusual beauty.

Dancing White Wave. 40 in. Gigantic, beautifully frilled double white, lightly flushed soft lavender. Tufted center. One of the best.

Dark Cloud. 40 in. Very fine ruffled double flowers of rich royal purple. Extra fine.

Ethel J. Marshall. 36 in. One of the most striking of all. Three large petals are white very slightly flushed soft violet. Three small petals aconite-violet, edged milk-white.

Eumee. 32 in. A very handsome single deep rich blue-purple self, of uniform color throughout.

Flamingo. Deep rose, white in center. Very tall and profuse flowering.

Glory. 36 in. A magnificent dark "spotted" single, with white and blue-purple heavily splashed over the falls.

Gofuku-Shoshu. 32 in. Huge double flowers of soft pink with deeper pink stripes and a white background just showing through.

Hatsuka. 30 in. Gorgeously rich single flowers of intense vivid spectrum-violet by the color charts.

Helene. 36 in. Double. One of the finest Iris I have. Formerly listed at \$5.00. Uniform blue-violet veins form a threadlike network over the white background.

Hosagawa. 36 in. Fine, large early double flowers of rich deep Petunia-violet.

Kamata. 32 in. A fine rich deep blue. A very striking variety.

Katherine Havemeyer. 42 in. Huge flowers of an exquisite shade of soft lavender. One of our finest Irises.

Koko-No-Iro. Huge double to triple flowers of deep rich royal purple. One of the most popular.

Indo. 38 in. Huge single indigo-blue flowers, with lemon-yellow throat markings surrounded by a narrow white area. Makes an imposing garden picture.

Late Wonder. 46 in. Three large petals; white, covered with a network of fine deep royal purple veins; three small standards, deep violet with snow-white border. A magnificent variety.

Lucie Marshall. 54 in. Rich double Pansy-violet, with a snow-white area surrounding a yellow throat, the white area radiating out into white veins.

Mahogany. 36 in. A very lovely double mahogany-red. One of the most beautiful of the Kaempferi Iris.

Margaret S. Hendrickson. 36 in. Double to triple. I have always considered this the finest medium-toned blue.

Moonlight Waves. Double white marked and flushed very pale blue. Heavy ruffled petals.

Mrs. J. Alexander Hayden. 42 in. Superb huge double white flowers, bordered and shaded soft violet.

Norma. 40 in. A handsome lavender-pink, with a clear blue halo surrounding the yellow throat markings.



Norma

- Oyodo.** 40 in. Intense deep velvety uniform royal purple. Large flowers of extra heavy velvety substance.
- Pluton.** 36 in. Extremely handsome double flowers; intense, rich, Petunia-violet veins over a white ground.
- Priam.** 40 in. Huge single white flowers, with a soft flush of lavender to add to its attractiveness.
- Princess Hollyhock.** 42 in. Vividly brilliant and effective. Pale Wistaria-violet, with vivid prune-purple veins.
- Purple Giant.** 42 in. Massive purple flowers of unsurpassed beauty.
- Pyramid.** 32 in. A magnificent double to triple deep blue-purple, with white styles and yellow throat in striking contrast.
- Red Cloud.** Unusual red, white and yellow in center. One of the latest in bloom.
- Red Emperor.** Very early and very large, deep red.
- Red Triumphator.** Double deep red, white tufted center. Very large and tall.
- Rosa Anna.** Beautiful cream-white with rose stripes.

Finest Siberian Iris

35c each; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

Siberian Iris are the heaviest producers of flowers of all Iris. They are very useful as cut flowers, many single plants produce upwards of fifty flowers.

Siberian Iris are different from other Iris. They have a very grassy foliage, tubular flowering stems and somewhat smaller flowers. Select a spot in your garden for our lovely collection of Siberian Iris. They will fill in with beauty and are the easiest of all Iris to grow in either full sunlight or semi-shade, also very hardy.

Cultural directions same as Kaempferi Iris.

Planting instructions accompany all shipments.

- Acuta.** 36 in. Fine uniform blue of medium tone.
- Blue King.** 42 in. A very handsome brilliant blue-purple.
- Blue Owl.** 36 in. Rich blue with prominent bronze throat.
- Blue Ridge.** 30 in. A lovely light blue of uniform color.
- Blue Star.** 29 in. Exquisite flowers with rich violet standards and clear soft lavender falls.
- Blue Wings.** 36 in. Large flowers of a lovely shade of soft blue.
- Bob White.** 38 in. Waxy snow-white, lemon-yellow throat.
- Butterfly.** 36 in. Soft blue, gracefully poised like a butterfly.
- Caesar.** 30 in. Rich royal purple of exceptional brilliance. Originally sold for \$25.00 a plant.
- Caesar's Brother.** 30 in. Surpasses Caesar in depth of color, though entirely different, rich blackish Pansy-violet.
- Distinction.** 30 in. A fine blue of medium tone.
- Dragonfly.** 58 in. Fine uniform bluish violet, shoulder high.
- Duchess of York.** 36 in. Exceptionally fine massive flowers of deep rich blue.
- Emperor.** (Improved strain.) 48 in. Rich violet-blue.

Beardless Iris Species and Hybrids

Price: 75c each; 12 for \$7.50.



Caesar is much richer and more handsome than can be shown in the above illustration.

- Rose H. Scheepers.** 36 in. One of our most lovely double varieties in a delightful uniform mauve shade.
- Sea Crest.** 46 in. Double frilled white, faintly flushed very soft lavender, with lavender crests.
- Sofu-No-Koi.** 36 in. A superb "marbled" effect. Hyacinth-violet over a soft blue ground, with a deeper blue flush at the center.
- Violet Herrington.** 40 in. Large handsome double flowers of Bradley's violet with white veins and tufted center.
- Wakamusha.** 36 in. Best of all the dark striped kinds. Deep, vivid, brilliant Pansy-violet veins over a white ground, with a 1/4-inch snow-white border. Styles intense solid blackish Pansy-violet.
- Water Lily.** Elegant white with broad lavender edges.
- Waving Waters.** Double light blue marked and flushed white, heavy ruffled petals. Double very large petals.
- White Giant.** 42 in. A new snow-white variety with gorgeous flowers produced in great abundance.
- Yama-Yama.** 30 in. White, flushed lavender, with a bright violet hairline edging and cream styles.

- George Wallace.** 46 in. Earliest of all. Lovely blue tone.
- Gray Prince.** 36 in. A lovely and very rare soft grey-blue.
- Heavenly Blue.** 48 in. A real rich gorgeous heavenly blue.
- Kingfisher Blue.** 54 in. Fine bright uniform sky-blue.
- Lady Godiva.** 36 in. Very early. Rare dainty flesh-pink.
- Lady Northcliff.** 38 in. Stylish looking rich bright violet.
- Little Boy Blue.** 34 in. New. Rich velvety blue.
- Llewellyn.** 42 in. A superlatively beautiful uniform soft blue.
- Martha LeGrand.** 36 in. A superb new white variety.
- May Morning.** 32 in. Fine rich deep purple. Largest of all.
- Miss Duluth.** 30 in. Handsome velvety blackish violet.
- Morning Magic.** 36 in. Large flowers of soft pink tone.
- Mrs. Gray Hill.** 32 in. A very early rich deep blue, with flaring falls and a beautifully veined white throat.
- Mrs. Rowe.** 32 in. Charming silvery white, flushed rose.
- Natick.** 38 in. Large beautiful sky-blue.
- Nora Distin.** 30 in. Strikingly beautiful blue and white.
- Papillon.** 50 in. Tallest soft blue. Very lovely.
- Peggy Perry.** 32 in. Early. Ruffled rich blue.
- Periwinkle.** 40 in. Rich, deep violet-blue; one of the largest and best. Originally sold at \$10.00 a plant.
- Perry Blue.** 48 in. One of the most popular of the Siberian Iris, and justly so, in a beautiful shade of clear sky-blue.
- Pigmy.** 24 in. A dainty dark violet miniature type.
- Red Emperor.** 30 in. Handsome wine-red, shaded and veined a deeper tone. In a color class by itself.
- Royal Flush.** 54 in. Tall velvety purple, overlaid red.
- Silver Tip.** 34 in. Ruffled clear deep azure-blue.
- Skyark.** 40 in. An exquisite soft blue of superb form.
- Skyrocket.** 38 in. Delightful violet-blue of perfect form.
- Snow Queen.** 38 in. The largest of the Siberian Iris, with perfect snow-white flowers of firm waxlike texture.
- Summer Sky.** 30 in. Entirely new and different in a very delicate soft blue and white combination.
- Sunnybrook.** 36 in. An exquisite shade of soft Alice-blue.
- Thelma Perry.** 36 in. One of our finest light blues.
- True Blue.** 36 in. Magnificent true blue flowers.
- Turquoise Cup.** 42 in. A gorgeous new turquoise-blue of large size.
- White Empress.** 36 in. A fine new sparkling white.

This group includes a fine selection of Louisiana and other American species, European and Asiatic species, Beardless Hybrids and Spurias. They follow the Tall Bearded Iris in bloom. They are all hardy and easy to grow.

- Dorothea K. Williamson.** 24 in. A rich velvety royal purple of intensely brilliant color. The flowers are 4 to 5 inches in diameter. A marvelous cut flower.
- Fulva.** 30 in. A most unusual and attractive coppery red-toned Iris.
- Fulvala.** 24 in. A very handsome rich velvety flower, similar to Dorothea K. Williamson but in a burgundy-wine tone.
- Kaempferi Species.** 40 in. This is one of the finest Iris I have for mass effect. Kaempferi is the original species from which all of our modern named Kaempferi Iris sprang. I am offering an unusually fine exceptionally tall, very free flowering strain, the deep red-purple flowers being more than double the size of the wild Kaempferi.
- Mrs. A. W. Tait.** 36 in. Exquisite soft porcelain-blue with a yellow spot at the throat. Early flowering among the Spurias. Very lovely.
- Notha.** 36 in. A very lovely soft lavender flower of fine form. Excellent cut-flower variety.
- Ochroleuca.** Will grow 5 feet high in a moist location. Standards, pure white; falls, yellow with a quarter-inch margin of white. Very fine.
- Pseudacorus.** 36 to 48 in. Rich yellow. Hardy anywhere, but prefers a damp spot. Excellent for the water garden or for naturalizing and just as fine in the home garden.
- Pseudacorus Alba.** 36 in. A very lovely pure white form of above. A finer white Iris would be hard to find.
- Pseudacorus Gigantea.** 36 in. A giant-flowered form of Pseudacorus.
- Pseudacorus Immaculata.** 36 in. Winner of the First Prize in the Beardless Iris Class of the Iris Show at Rockefeller Centre, 1936. A pure clear deep yellow without any of the Pseudacorus throat markings.
- Pseudacorus Sulphurea.** 36 in. A light sulphur-yellow form of Pseudacorus.
- Pseudacorus Variegata.** 36 in. Yellow flowers with yellow and white variegated foliage in the spring. Very rare.
- Shrevei Alba.** 36 in. Fragrant; a very lovely frilled white-bordered soft blue.
- Versicolor.** 24 in. The beardless marsh Iris. Very pretty lavender-purple flowers produced in the greatest profusion. Rugged anywhere, sun or shade, marsh or garden. Fine for naturalizing.
- Versicolor Alba.** A rare white form of the above.
- Vinicolor.** 42 in. A magnificent fragrant wine-red. Large, perfect flowers.



Black Magic

Winter Flowering Iris

Iris Ungicularis cannot be made to flower during the summer, no matter what you may do, but it persists in flowering during the winter months in the north in the protection of a coldframe. In the south they bloom out-of-doors during the winter months. Contrary to all normal rules, they seem to require a slight frost to form their flower buds and make them break out into blossom, their flowering period usually beginning during December and continuing throughout the winter months. The color is a lovely shade of blue and they are charming as cut flowers.

\$1.00 each; 6 for \$5.50.

Autumn Flowering Iris

FLOWER TWO OR MORE TIMES EACH YEAR

35c each; \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

These **Double Duty Irises** not only blossom in the spring, along with other early flowering varieties (early May in the latitude of Long Island and a month earlier in the south) BUT THEY FLOWER AGAIN PROFUSELY IN THE AUTUMN, BEGINNING IN SEPTEMBER AND CONTINUING UNTIL KILLED BY HEAVY FROST. SOME OF THEM ALSO FLOWER INTERMITTENTLY THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER, THUS GIVING SEVERAL SEASONS OF BLOOM. They are all hardy and can be planted any time and require little care. **Planting and cultural directions accompany all shipments.**

Autumn Elf. 18 in. Another new and dainty color in the Autumn-Flowering Irises, with ruffled standards of cream and with flaring falls of soft lilac, with deeper veins at the throat.

Autumn Frost. 36 in. **Very sweet fragrance.** The tallest of the autumn-flowering varieties. Very large beautifully poised flowers of perfect form, waxlike substance and alabaster whiteness.

Autumn Haze. 30 in. **New. Violet fragrance.** This is by far the largest and most outstanding of all autumn-flowering varieties. A large stock of extra fine plants permits a very low price this season.

Autumn Queen. 18 in. A lovely pure snow-white. One Kansas grower informs me that he has had flowers on Autumn Queen for seven months out of a year, which would make it almost an everbloomer.

Black Magic. 28 in. This is by far the finest and most profuse fall bloomer of all. The color is an intense deep blue-violet, with a rich velvety lustre and a black sheen.

Eleanor Roosevelt. 26 in. A profuse bloomer twice a year and one of the best of the recent introductions.

Jean Siret. 15 in. **A new yellow everblooming Iris.** This variety and Lieut. Chavagnac are undoubtedly the forerunners of a new race of everblooming Irises.

October Blaze. 24 in. One of the most attractive of all the fall bloomers, being somewhat similar to Dauntless in color, giving us a brilliant red tone in this group.

Olive White. 18 in. A very lovely creamy white variety, with attractive green-gold veining at the throat.

Sangreal. 28 in. A remarkably fine new deep yellow with a deep orange beard. An improvement in the yellow fall bloomers.

Southland. 24 in. **Given an Award of Merit by the American Iris Society, 1939.** A sensational new deep golden yellow variety, with large flowers of fine form and heavy substance on well branching stalks.

Super Autumn King. 30 in. A recent introduction and a great improvement on Autumn King. The color is the same, but it is a much more reliable and prolific bloomer. It is a fine blue-purple bicolor.

White Autumn King. 30 in. A magnificent new glistening snowy white of robust growth. A prodigious bloomer, a large flower of perfect form and heavy waxlike substance.

Miniature Iris

YOUR SELECTION
75c Each
12 for \$7.50

Crested Iris

Miniature Iris grow on an average from 6 to 14 inches tall. Ideal for your rock garden, also along your perennial borders. Miniature Iris require about the same care as bearded Irises.

- Alba.** 6 in. A very lovely creamy white.
- Bride.** 6 in. Rose fragrance. Pure snow-white.
- Dr. Crenshaw.** 8 in. A new Burgundy-wine shade.
- Dr. Mann.** 6 in. Fragrant Petunia-violet bicolor.
- Blue Sapphire.** Pure blue.
- Comtesse de Hauteville.** 6 in. Bright violet; purple-garnet.
- Orange Queen.** Very fine orange.
- Atrioviolacea.** Bluish purple-speckled throat.
- Bouquet.** 6 in. A lovely white and heliotrope.
- Fautleroy.** 6 in. Standards greyish white, edged soft yellow. Falls, flaring raisin-purple, with narrow yellow border.
- Marocain.** 12 in. Blackish red-purple. Very fine.
- Negus.** 14 in. Rich deep velvety purple.
- Coerulea.** Deep blue.
- Buzzer.** 9 in. Light blue with pink flush. Exquisite.
- Ylo.** Light yellow.
- Fallen Leaf.** 15 in. Dark maroon on graceful stems.
- Cristata.** 4 to 6 in. Delightful crab-apple fragrance. Dainty soft amethyst-blue, with a touch of gold at the throat.
- Cristata Alba.** 4 to 6 in. A handsome white form of the above. Very rare.
- Cristata Coerulea.** 4 to 6 in. All flowers uniform deep rich royal blue grown from one original plant. Very handsome.
- Tectorum.** 10 in. The famous roof Iris of China. Deep lilac-blue with an ivory crest.
- Graminea.** 12 in. Reddish violet flowers. Prefers shade with just a filtering of sunlight.
- Hyacinthiana.** 12 in. Flowers of soft blue and yellow, with fine brown veins.
- Prismatica.** 12 in. Flowers of soft lavender, sometimes white and lavender.



Iris Cristata

A Fine Selection of Iris

All Reliable Varieties, That Will Add Color
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**Wittman's Orchids in Iris for
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